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25 March 1955

THOSE PRESENT: Mr. Dulles, General Cabell, Messrs. Bissell, Amory, Kirkpatrick, Sheldon, Helms, and [redacted]

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Mr. Dulles:

a. Discussed the 5 April Clark Committee briefing and certain points were outlined as needing clarification: [redacted], "OCB matters", and the full story of a project from conception through the Project Review outline.

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b. Mentioned that Mr. [redacted] is coming to Washington on 21 April and that he would have a dinner for him, probably at his home, on the 26th of April. The dinner will probably include both men and women.

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d. Warned that no information was to be given out of the advance copy of the 18 April "Colliers", which Mr. Amory now has and which he will pass to Mr. Helms.

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General Cabell:

a. Mentioned that General Van Fleet is going to Korea as a private citizen to find out about U. S. prisoners. Pointed out we need some central point in which information on Americans behind the Iron Curtain could be gathered. Director said that somebody in FE Division should handle this for the time being, but the responsibility might be changed at a later date. Directed Mr. Helms to cable Far East stations emphasizing the importance of this vital information.

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Mr. Wisner:

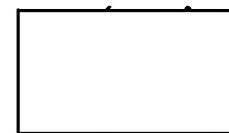
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[redacted] The Director asked that
Mr. Wisner and Mr. Bissell get together for a plan for Laos.

Mr. Amory:

Said that a decision was urgently needed on [redacted] and/or his
replacement.

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